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Filing Date	May 11, 2000
First Named Inventor	Lynn D. Spraggs
Group Art Unit	2132
Examiner Name	Smithers, Matthews
Attorney Docket Number	PA1065US

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Re: U.S. Patent Application No. 09/554,419
Filed: May 11, 2000
Title: System and Method of Sending and Receiving
Secure Data With a Shared Key
Our ref: PA1065US

Dear Lynn:

This letter is to advise you that, due to nonpayment, we are petitioning the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office for permission to withdraw from representation in the above-identified case. We expect that this petition will be granted. Therefore, we recommend that you engage alternative counsel to handle the prosecution of this case. Copies of the filed document are enclosed for your records.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,



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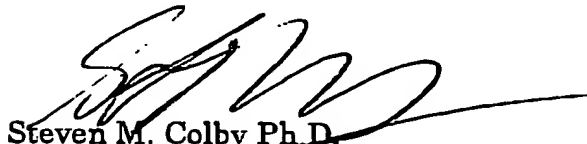
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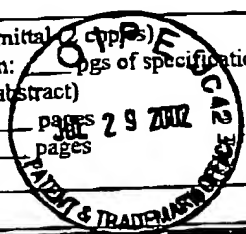
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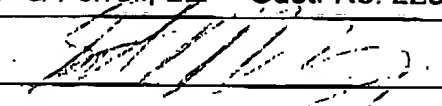
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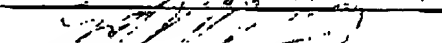
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